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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicant:** Raz et al.  
**Serial No.:** 10/625,199  
**Filed:** July 23, 2003  
**For:** METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR  
CORRECTION OF URINARY AND  
GYNECOLOGICAL PATHOLOGIES,  
INCLUDING TREATMENT OF  
MALE INCONTINENCE, AND  
FEMALE CYSTOCELE

**Examiner:** Gilbert, Samuel G.  
**Group Art Unit:** 3735  
**Docket No.:** AMS-154  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Examiner's Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed April 9, 2009. The time period for response is set to expire on May 9, 2009. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that this response is timely filed. No fee is believed to be necessary to file this paper. Please charge any underpayment to Kagan Binder Deposit Account No. 50-1775 and notify us of the same.

It was stated that the amendment filed February 23, 2009, is non-compliant as Claims 1-12 are missing.

The entire claims section is re-submitted herewith.